

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

FIRST NAMED INVENTOR : Min KUO Confirmation No.: 6171  
FOR : A system and method for optimized routing of print jobs  
APPLICATION NO. : 10/675,689  
FILING DATE : September 30, 2003  
EXAMINER : Neil R. McLean  
ART UNIT : 2625  
CUSTOMER NO. : 23380

**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Office Action in the above-identified application was dated July 11, 2007. The three month period for responding to the Office Action expires on October 11, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is timely filed.

In response to the Office action dated July 11, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 10 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 12 of this paper.